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NOTE TO GLC:

1. Listed below are legislative items for possible report to Colonel White:

a. Retirement. Daniels and McGee bills.

The House passed Daniels bill has been reported out by McGee's committee and is on the Senate calendar.

H.R. 9825 - high three, sick leave credit, extra 1 percent cost-of-living, and partially retroactive remarriage provision, plus financing provisions.

The McGee bill is also on the Senate calendar and is scheduled for possible floor action 2 October 1969.

S. 2754 - Daniels bill plus increased survivor protection and annuity tax exemption of \$3,000.

Hearings were held 24 September on the Hays bill, H.R. 13876, adopting the Daniels bill provisions for benefit of Foreign Service.

b. Agency plans. Use the opportunity presented by the Daniels bill to obtain administrative authority to update CIA Act to Civil Service changes. Draft legislation in hands of Roger Jones being informally coordinated within the Executive Branch, but he has said we should move (formally clear this out of Executive Branch) only when Civil Service bills approved.

c. Per diem. The House has passed H.R. 337 increasing domestic per diem from \$16 to \$22, from \$30 to \$35 for actual expense, and from \$10 to \$15 VIP abroad. Senate bills (S. 820, S. 1682) carry higher figures of \$25, \$50, and \$18 respectively.